

T. W. L.

Westbury House
Bristol Aug. 4 '87

Dear Sir
213 I have today seen Mr. D. Little
the surprise was by telling me
that she had the very great
privilege of seeing you in London.
Having so warmly sympathized
with you in the dark days,
I watched your course in your
unflinching & uncompromising
devotion to the cause of the
down-trodden, I have greatly
regretted that even in this world

Mrs. Mary Carpenter,
Bristol, August 4, 1887.

you know that the insupportable
hopes of seeing the result of
your labours, and being received
in England as you ought to be,
received. — I should have written
to you to express this, but knew
not where to find you. — I longed
to beg you to come to Bristol,
but knew not ^{to} whom to apply
to prepare a suitable reception
for you. — My hopes, I need
not say would be extremely
honoured by such a guest,

if you would come down to
spend a few days of friendship
with those who have so long
respected & warmly sympathized
with you, — as well as to see
our glorious scenery, with its
kind attractions. Can you possibly
come?

I am going to London for a
few days at the beginning of
next week: — shall you be there?
Yours true friend,

Nancy Carpenter

Miss Mary Carpenter,
Bristol, August 4, 1867.